

Parking facilities and tree-shaded grounds won acclaim



Picnickers of all ages enjoyed themselves



Rides were popular with our younger set



"Who wants to sit down? Lots to do!"

Up, up, up on the Ferris Wheel

We donned sport clothes

and had a wonderful

Family Picnic



Shades of the Old West





Archery captured fancy of many who attended



Pony rides were top attraction for kids



"Like going to a carnival!"



Pop had his share of fun, too

CHILL, RAINY WEATHER persisted throughout the week just prior to our annual "Family Picnic". But came the big day — May 25 — and the temperature rose to the occasion. Even the sun decided to peek through during most of the day. (Some way-ward clouds did appear suddenly in the afternoon and dampened the grounds - though not the enthusiasm of National Lead picnickers.)

Refreshment stands did a land office "business" dispensing thousands of free drinks, ice cream bars, cotton candy and the like to our holiday-minded folks. Kids rushed from one ride to the next, eager to compare the thrills offered by each park conveyance. Games and contests also drew big crowds and laughs. Special interest centered around the official Picnic attendance figure. A portable TV was the prize for the one who came up with the closest guess. At 4 p.m. when the contest ended, guards at the entrance stopped their count. The attendance figure: 4398. — The lucky winner (Mario Pastura, Transportation) hit it on the nose: 4398!

"It's been great, but I'm (yawn) tired!"

